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THE MICHIGAN PRIMARY

The Democrats had a primary in Michigan and it is one the administration and the presidential candidates supporting it can get scant comfort from. The leader in the presidential preference primary and the probable choice of the state was Mr. Hoover, who is strongly against the President's treaty ratification program and who recently took himself out of consideration as a candidate before the Democratic convention, says the New York Tribune. Second in the race was Governor Edwards, of New Jersey, running on a side issue platform of his own—local nullification, wherever possible, of the federal prohibition Third and fourth were William G. McAdoo and William J. Bryan, the latter an avowed anti-administration man, who favors ratification of the treaty with the Senate reservations. Last of all was Attorney General Palmer, who stands unqualifiedly on the Wilson record.

The three non-administration Democratic candidates received, on a count of nearly three-fifth of the state, about 42,000 votes. The two administration candidares, (counting Mr. McAdoo as one) received about 20,000.

So far as Michigan is concerned the Democratic voters seem to have cut away from the administration and all its works. The Democratic leaders all realize this and are straining every nerve to avoid popular preferential tests. They want to have unrestricted delegates elected in order to escape such spectacles as the Michigan primary has afforded.

So it comes about that the demand of the 1912 platform for open selections openly arrived at is bluntly ignored. Only an abandonment of the preferential primary can conceal the eclipse of the President's leadership. The party managers shrink from facing the results of the dissatisfaction which that self-centered leadership has created. And judging from the Michigan exhibition, their distrust of an open expression of party opinion is overwhelmingly justified.

LOYALTY COMMENDED

Officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in a bulletin issued on Tuesday, commend the loyalty of the men who are standing by their duties in this crisis in railroad affairs of the country. The circular refers especially to the enginemen conductors, firemen and brakemen, as well as yardmasters and telegraphers, and others, who in spite of the wave of unrest which is sweeping the country at the present time have decided to stand by their employers and render service to the public as well as to the transporatation companies which employ them.

Not only are these men to be commended by the officials of the railroad companies, but likewise by the public, which realizes that if the sensible attitude of the men who remain loyal only pervaded the entire nation, it would not be long until normal conditions would again be restored.

It is intimated that much of the trouble now existing is being caused by those men who have no steady jobs on the railrod; nothing to lose except possibly a few days work, but they have had enough influence to cause a sufficient number of employes to leave their posts and thus assist in seriously interfering with the transportation of the country. It is a perilous situation, one which not only ties up trains, but which is bringing a great deal of suffering to the public at large. In placing the blame for this condition the people will not hesitate to place it where it properly belongs. There is bound to be a day of reckoning, and those responsible for the present situation are apt to be the ultimate sufferers.

GOVERNMENT PROPAGANDA

The joint Congressional committee on printing has been conducting an investigation on the Administration's adventures in publicity, say the Pittsburg Dispatch. Some 287 independent printing plants, in addition to the great plant of the Government printing office, have been maintained issuing some 266 regular publications devoted mainly to boosting the achievements and near achievements of the bureaus for which they are published These purely personal or official propagandist organs have their official press agents and staffs carrier on the Government payroll in addition to the cost of printing and the waste of print paper so urgently needed for legitimate purpose.

Following the investigation 108 of these precious publications were put out of business but 158 were reported still running. Long familiarity with the average Government public document has failed to establish their value. The waste baskets of thecountry are continually being filled with them. During the war official propaganda reached its full flower in the Official Bulletin, but though that has been discontinued scores of offshoots or bureaucratic substitutes have sprung up and are still being carried on a public expense. It is good to know that a start has been made by Congress in abolishing these abuses, but with a Presidential campaign under way it is going to be ah ard fight to get rid of them under an administration so used to propaganda.

A BETTER WORLD

The world needs more religion, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Church work has been handicapped ever since the European war began in 1914. The horrors of warfare were the outcome of German selfishness. The period of unrest since the armistice has been due in large measure to individual selfishness.

More religion means greater friendliness. A wider practice of Christian teachings expands the spirit of brotherhood which many of our ablest men claim is essential for the restoration of normal economic conditions. To make religion more effective in its mission as the messenger of Christ and to expand its usefulness as an economic agency thirty denominations have united in a simultaneous campaign known as the Interchurch World Movement.

Thousands of churches have enlisted in the movement, which is expected to bring about a closer relationship between the denominations and which will be the means of doing more effective work. If the plan of campaign is realized there will be no more hit and miss arrangements as to the placing of churches where the community is already well supplied, but rather movement to get behind whatever work may be in progress. It is tremendous movement, fraught with great possibilities, and in which each denomination expects to receive the greatest amount of benefit.

Morning of Life.

Let every dawn of morning be to you as the beginning of life, and every setting sun be to you as its close: then let every one of these short lives leave its sure record of some kindly thing done for others, some goodly strength or knowledge gained for yourselves.—John Ruskin.

Just a Suggestion.

Local man has been granted a divorce because his wife complained he didn't make her heart throb. Better have this throb business inserted in the wedding ceremony instead of the obey injunction.—New York Evening Telegram.

Our "Odd Fact" Series.

The longest word in the German language is "Constantinopolitanisherbergsvater," which means, "The fatherly lodging house keeper for Turkish bagpipe makers journeymen."—Letter to New York Herald.

Reminders of Limerick Siege.

Near a battle scene during the siege of Limerick, in 1691, workmen while excavating discovered a quantity of human remains recently. A bullet hole was observed in one skull, and on examination a bullet was found embedded in the bone.

Course of True Love.

"I thought my fiancee broke our engagement when she threatened to kill me," pleaded a Nevada defendant in a breach of promise suit. Not a bit of it—that is a way some women have of cinching things.

Largest of Ocean Denizens.

There are plenty of monsters in the sea, though none equal in size the largest of the whalebone whales. The largest of such creatures are something like 90 feet in length. If there are larger specimens they have been remarkably successful in eluding accurate measurement. In order to find sufficient food such gigantic creatures must be content with a humble diet. Hence they have developed their whalebone—a substance in which no imitation can compete in the manufacture of high-grade whip handles and corset stays—for the purpose of straining an abundance of small fishes or other animals from the sea water.

DO YOU REALIZE

THAT SUMMER IS ALMOST HERE

and that all the delights of vacation time are just ahead? This means that you will soon want some of the newest and prettiest things to wear. Oh yes, you've though of it, but now it's time to start right in scanning the pages of

The Fashion Book for Summer

The frocks will catch your eye the first thing. They are perfectly bewitching. You'll picture yourself in them on the seashore or in the mountains, and you won't know which to decide upon. And there are blouses galore. Blouses that will make you feel as well as look fresh and cool on a sultry day. Then there's the light coat you'll need when you're off on a trip or it's a bit breezy in the evening.

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Stick Fighting in Trinidad.

Single combat in various forms survives all over the world, and different peoples have different methods of showing their prowess In the island of Trinidad, for instance, the natives who speak a mixture of French patois and English, call their method "play ing bois" (literally stick fighting).

The stick used says the Detroit News, is about a yard long, and usually made from the "bois" tree, a very hard wood. This is held at each end diagonally in front of the body, and the blows are struck by releasing one end and striking with either the left or the right.

In the carnival season bands from the various districts are made up and contests take place whenever two bands meet. The stick men are extraordinarily clever at parrying blows, and an expert will stop a cricket ball thrown at him.

Police Unappreciative of Art.

One of the best stories English theatrical men tell about Sir Henry Irving is of an occasion when he was rehearsing for Don Quixote at the Lyceum. The one great difficulty was to find Don Quixote's horse—sufficiently quaint, starved and aged. His manager, Bram Stoker at last announced that he had found one in the provinces —an animal whose ribs could be counted, whose bones stood out like hat pegs, and which had a head like a camel. "It is on its way from Euston now," said Bram Stoker, in answer to Irving's anxious inquiries. But the animal never arrived. The man and beast had got as far as Bow street when the police stopped them.

The horse was ordered to be shot, and the man was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for cruelty to animals.

Rapid Transit in Distant Past.

"Sir," said Boswell, or one of the minor fry in the service of the oracle of Fleet street—I forget which—"they are now busy with a scheme of rapid transit by means of postchaises." "And the rate of the acceleration of velocity?" queried the other. (I quote entirely from memory.) "They talk, sir, of twelve miles an hour." "Sir," exclaimed the sage. "it would be impossible; we could not breathe." "There," comments the biographer. "that is just the man he was, he could always lay his finger on the weak point. They had never thought of that."—Richard Whiteing, in Manchester Guardian.

Warm Enough?

While coaching a class of children for a little play, the teacher told the boys that in the third act they would have to wear their heavy overcoats, as that would be the snow scene. After a short silence little fellow about seven years old raised his hand and said: "Teacher, father can't finish my overcoat in time because he works late; but will it be all right if I wear my heavy underwear?"

Entirely a Personal Matter.

Mark Twain and his peculiarities were being discussed by an English class in a western high school One youthful orator had very eloquently described Mark's personal appearance and had laid unusual stress on the author's fondness for wearing white flannel. "Gee!" said one much interested youth. "I don't see how the public knows whether his flannels was red or white."—Everybody's Magazine.

World Beyond Our Ken.

There are noises louder than thunder which we cannot hear, the roar that lies on the other side of silence. We men are poor, restless prisoners, hemmed in by our senses as by the wall of a cell, hearing only a part of Nature's orchestra and that part imperfectly; seeing only a thousandth part of the color marvels about us and seeing that infinitesimal part incorrectly and partially.—From "Unpathed Waters," by Frank Harris.

Pleasant for Mamma.

"And what did my little darling do in school today?" a mother asked of her youngest son—a second grader. "We had nature study, and it was my turn to bring a specimen," said the boy. "That was nice. What did you do?" "I brought a cockroach in a bottle and I told teacher we had lots more and if she wanted I would bring one every day."

Evidently Knew His Townsmen.

A somewhat personal reference was that of an old Lanarkshire minister who read out for his text the verse in the psalms, "I said in my haste, 'all men are liars;'" and then proceeded to give his sermon in the form of an apostrophe, thus: "Ay, David, ye said it in your haste, did ye? If ye had lived in this parish, ye might have said it at your leisure."

Science or Sense.

A London brain specialist says that of two women one will dress from the desire of self-display and the other will be actuated by an esthetic sense. It is to be feared that the distinction between the flashy and the sensible is not confined to one sex, though it may be more noticeable there.

False Alarm.

They were in the country. The little girl had heard that a hen cackles every time an agg is laid. All of a sudden the cow "mooed," and she exclaimed: "Ah! Another egg, I bet."

It's Human.

Tell a man that there are 270,169,-375,481 stars and he will believe you, but if a sign says "Fresh Paint," he has to make a personal investigation. —Cincinnati Enquirer

In The Orphans' Court For The County Of Washington

No. 30. Feruary Term, 1920

Estate of Anna Lessic, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that Stephen Lessic, husband of the decedent, has filed in said Court a petition claiming property of the decedent to thevalue of $5,000.00 as allowed by Section 2 of the Intestate Act of 1917, and that the same has been duly appraised as to certain real estate situate in the Borough of Donora, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and the petition may be allowed by the Court on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1920, unless exceptions thereto be filed before that time.

A. E. Jonees
Guy Moffitt,
Attorneys for Petitioner.
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If you are hard-of-hearing or deaf, don't neglect to have your ears treated. If you never can have normal hearing again why not learn to read the lips? Lip-reading enablesyou to join in the conversation even though you hear no sounds. If you work some place where hearing is necessary to a scertain extent and have difficulty in understanding, lip-reading will help you to over come to read the lips? Lip-reading is a wonderful friend to those who need it. If you are discouraged by part or total deafness let lip-reading encourage you. Anyone who wishes definite information please write to Miss Josephine Pelton, teacher of Lip-Reading, Belle Vrnon, Pa. References given if required. 264t3p

Administrator's Notice

Estate of Andy Kvartek deceased, late of Ellsworth Borough, Washington county, Pa.

Letters of administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands o present them for settlement.

Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.
Administrator,
Charleroi, Pa.

Guy Moffitt, Atty.
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Friday, Coyle Theatre.

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See the great tragedienne—Jas. Russell, 'In school days"—Elk's Minstrel. 265t2

Sale of School Bonds.

The Board of School Directors of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi, in the County of Washintong and State of Pennsylvania, will receive sealed bids at its office in the High School Building, in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania until 8 o'clock P. M. Thursday April, 22, 1920, for the purchase of Twenty-four (24) 5 per cent tax free, coupon bonds of the denomination of One Thousand ($1000.00) Dollars, numbered from 96 to 119 both inclusive, dated May 1, 1920. Principal payable at the office of the Treasurer of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi, in Charleroi, Pennsylvania, as follows: $8000.00 on May 1st, 1929: $5000.00 on May 1st, 1931 and $8000.-00 on May 1st, 1934, and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of said School District semi-annually on May 1st and November 1st.

Said bonds are to be issued for the purpose of paying existing indebtedness of the said School District of the Borough of Charleroi.

All bids are to be mailed or delivered to T. M. Faddis, Secretary of the School Board, Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, marked "Bid for Bonds" and a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of the bonds bid for must accompany each bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the School District, and this sale will be subject to the action of the Board of School Directors of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi, authorizing the same.

Board of School Directors of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi.

T. M. Faddis, Secretary.
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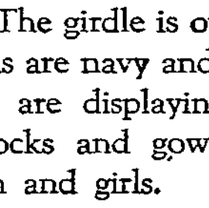

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Use the Classified Column

WHY RACES ARE DIFFERENT

Men of Science Say Physical Peculiarities May Be Accounted for by Functional Derangements.

Discussing the differences that distinguish the Anglo-Saxon from the Chinese, or the negro, Prof. Arthur Keith recently explained that the key to the problem is to be found through studying the disturbances and disorders that occasionally affect the development and growth of the human body, especially those due to a functional derangement of one or more of the glands of internal secretion—the pituitary, thyroid, adrenal and other glands. In some matter not yet understood, the functions carried on in these glands regulate not only the dimensions of the body, but also the shape and size of each individual part.

The racial features of the Mongolian type are imitated by growing Europeans who are affected by deficiency disorders of the thyroid gland. The features of the negro can best be accounted for by the nature of the growth-regulating mechanism centered in the thyroid and suprarenal glands. European features are connected with a dominance in the functions of the pituitary.

Scientists hope that a thorough study of the still very obscure subject of the so-called "ductless" glands will provide the means of regulating, to some extent, the future evolution of the human race.

SHOES IN SONG AND STORY

Humble Foot Coverings Have Figured Largely in the Traditions of Various Nations.

Shoes have their tradition of song and story, writes Wainwright Evans in National's Business. We all know Cinderella, but few have heard of Rhodope, the Egyptian maiden who had the most beautiful foot to be found along the Nile. One day when she was at her bath a discriminating eagle flew down and carried off her sandal, which he dropped by way of a suggestion at the feet of the king. Of course the king put his heralds right on the job, took a hand in the search himself, found his Cinderella, and made her queen of Egypt.

Our boys in France must have seen the many shrines and memorials around Soissons dedicated to St. Crispin, patron saint of shoemakers. The story goes that St. Crispin and his brother, Crispianus, were Romans, who, about the year 303 were converted to Christianity. Together they went north into France, spreading the gospel. They supported themselves by making shoes, which they sold to the natives at a very low price. Presumably they undersold all competitors. At any rate, possibly with the encouragement and connivance of the local chamber of commerce, they were finally put out of the way by the ungrateful proletariat.

Bean Growing in Early Times.

Theophrastus, writing 300 years before the Christian era, says that in Macedonia and Thessaly, beans were grown to be plowed into the soil at flowering time. Varro about 50 years B. C. says: "Some things should be sown with a view not so much to present profit as to next year's crops, because when cut down and left they improve the soil. Thus lupins before they produce many pods, and sometimes beanstalks, if the podding stage be not so far advanced that it is profitable to pull the beans, are usually plowed into poor land." In Flanders, which has always been a model to the rest of Europe in husbandry, this method has always been a great feature. This we learn from the lecture read by Dr. E. J. Russell, M. A., F. R. S., C. B. E., at the Royal Horticultural society—who recommends these methods and regards it as one of the most efficient ways of making soil. Such is our obligation to Theophrastus.—Christian Science Monitor.

Fish That Explode.

To the Russian people Lake Baikal, in eastern Siberia, is a holy lake, and they believe both the lake and its surrounding country are endowed with supernatural powers and inhabited by unearthly beings. All kinds of weird tales mingle with their explanations of any feature of the lake. Even so simple an object as a great rock lying in the middle of a river just where it flows from Lake Baikal takes on a mysterious significance. If this stone were to slip from its place, they say, the whole of Lake Baikal would pour out of its basin and flood the river and probably the continent. But there are actually many strange things about Lake Baikal. There is, for example, a species of fish that inhabits the deepest part. These fish have been seen by few persons, for as soon as they are lifted out of their accustomed atmosphere of high pressure they explode.—New York Morning Telegraph.

It Certainly Is That!

Have you ever been stuck in the mud at the foot of a steep incline in a balky motor car? So have we. And if you are a woman and the motor was driven by a normal man, you heard words that you had a vague idea existed but were not exactly sure were in current use. And if he asked for a pair of pliers, you knew if you made a mistake and handed him a monkey wrench he might choke you or something. And when, after he has had to put on the chains, you finally pull out of that mud hole, O-oo! "Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling?"—Columbus Dispatch.

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GETS ALCOHOL FROM COAL

Discovery by English Scientist That Is of Monetary as Well as Practical Value.

The extraction of alcohol from coke-oven gas on a commercial scale was proved possible at a meeting of the Cleveland Institute of Engineers at Middlesbrough (England) by Ernest Bury of the Skinningrove Iron and Steel works. Mr. Bury showed that he had succeeded in extracting ethyl alcohol and its derivatives. The practical working of Mr. Bury's process at the Skinningrove plant, where 5,500 tons of coal are carbonized per week, revealed an average yield of 1.6 gallons of alcohol per ton of coal carbonized. The total weight of coal reduced to coke in the United Kingdom in 1918 having been 14,635,000 tons, the application of Mr. Bury's process to the entire amount of coal would yield 23,416,000 gallons, the value of which would be $11,325,000. The recovery of alcohol at the gas works of the country would yield a further 7,000,000 gallons, or, alcohol and benzol taken together, would amount to 114,000,000 to meet the requirements of the country, which amounts to 160,000,000 per annum.

Plywood in Airplane Construction.

Plywood is wood of any variety that has been cut by a machine into thin layers and glued together again in such a way that the grain of one layer runs at an angle to the grain of two adjacent layers. The strength of a plywood panel, in two planes, greatly exceeds that of steel. With some wood, by combining cuts, it is even possible to get greater resistance to stress in all three planes than steel affords, though it is rarely necessary to go so far. Ordinary wood used for airplane construction is not required to withstand severe stresses in more than two planes. What plywood means to airplane construction is well illustrated by the De Haviland-4. Before that method of using wood was invented the best airplane wing rib weighed 7.95 ounces, and was capable of sustaining a load of only 89 pounds. Since then the plywood rib used on the De Haviland weighs 5.12 ounces and will carry a load of 274 pounds.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Luminous Dials Popular.

The radium watch industry, which has grown in a few years to such large proportions, began with the production of one watch in 1903 by the scientist Dr. George F. Kunz. During 1908-10 a few hundred such watches were imported and sold under patents owned by a large American radium company. From 1910 until the present time the industry has grown steadily. In 1913 about 3,500 radium watches and clocks were sold in the United States, and by 1915 there was more than a five fold increase in this number. From these small beginnings the use of radio-luminous compound has grown into an industry with an output which in 1919 approximated 2,200,000 American high-grade and cheap watches and clocks and upward of 560,000 imported timepieces.

"Artificial Rain."

The shallow draft passenger steamers built by an English shipbuilding concern for river service in the tropics are equipped with "artificial rain." Up through the awning forming the roof of the upper cabin project two water pipes, each of which is fitted with a spray head. These fountains throw sprays of water over the awning, and the rapid evaporation under the hot rays of the sun keeps the cabins cool.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

LOST RIGHT HAND IN LAUNDRY MANGLE

Jennie Ford, aged 18, daughter of George Ford, of New Eagle, employed in the laundry of the Monongahela Memorial hospital had her right hand caught in the mangle on Tuesday, and the member was so badly injured that it was found necessary to amputate it. Her brother, Vernon Ford, a member of Co. A, 110th Infantry, was killed during the war in France.

"When they're old enough to know better, it's better to leave them alone" —Fred Kyle—Elk's Minstrel. 265t2

Charter Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, for a merger of Societe de Secours Mutuels L'Espoir and L'Independance Societe de Secours Mutuel into a corporation of the name and style of La Mutuelle Societe de Secours Mutuels and Monday, May 3rd, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M., is set for a hearing thereon.

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YOUTH HE WAS LOOKING FOR

Usually Rocky Road of Love Unexpectedly Smoothed Out by Irate Old Banker.

Sometimes the course of true love does upset all accepted theories by running smoothly, and when the voyagers on that uncertain stream are most fearful of rocks ahead. At least it was like this in the case of the only daughter of a New York banker, of [illegible] most of the young lady's suitors were in deadly terror. Ordinarily the proverbial sorehead bear would have been a mild and inadequate comparison to this old gentleman.

The father had on a number of occasions observed his daughter in intimate discourse with one of the young men from his own bank and, watching his opportunity, cornered them together.

"Well, young man," the banker thundered threateningly, "what are your intentions, hey? Just what do you mean, hanging about my daughter, hey? Answer me, sir!"

The young man spoke up frankly. "To tell the truth, sir, I haven't any intentions, and don't mean anything. Of course, Hazel and I love each other, but my salary is too small to get married on, and I can't ask her to wait until she's an old woman—as she'd probably have to. No, I don't see any hope for me at all."

"That's all right, my boy," the banker told him, his face suddenly beaming with kindness. "Go ahead and marry her. Why, it's the plain duty of a chap who shows that much sense to get married right away."

STATION AGENT WAS RIGHT

Negro Messenger at Least Learned Something of More or Less Importance to Senator.

A southern senator, whose home is in the country some two miles from the railway, received a telegram which indicated the need for his immediate presence in a nearby city. The train schedule had been recently changed, and the telephone was not working, so a negro was sent to find out when a train would pass the station. It was three hours later when the negro shambled into the yard.

"Where have you been, you black rascal? Does it take three hours to ask when a train will be due?" the fuming senator demanded.

"Now, Marse Henry," the negro protested, "yo' know hit don' take no three hours ter ax when er train gwine pass by. But, Marse Henry, Ah done hear yo' say yo'se'f dat dat station agent am a liar an' yo' can't take his word for nuffin', so when he tol' me, Ah didn't pay no 'tention, but des' stayed to see fer myse'f. An' for once in his life dat man tol' de truf—dat ole train sho did come rollin' by des when he said she would!"

Song in the Bathroom.

Professor W. H. Bragg of the Royal [illegible] London, England, has originated a new theory as to the bathroom. "Why do so many people sing in the bathroom?" asked the professor, and a juvenile audience broke out into laughter, remembering the surprise that seizes them to break out into song when they are having a bath. The professor explained that the note is struck for them by the running water. He also pointed out that, while the voice sounds resonantly in the bathroom, it is not half so fine or inspiring when a song is continued in the dressing room. The same authority explained that the bubbles of steam formed at the bottom of a boiling kettle, nearest to the flame, tried to get to the top, and coming into contact with water of a lower temperature fell back again with sounds like tiny hammer strokes on a hard substance.

Certiorari.

Certiorari is a law term, and is seldom come upon outside of legal proceedings. The word is derived from the Latin certioro, to be certified. In law it means a writ from a superior to an inferior court directing a certified record of its proceedings in a designated case to be sent up for review. Where right of appeal from the decision of the inferior court exists, certiorari proceedings are unnecessary, but where such right does not exist this is the procedure adopted to have the proceedings of the inferior court reviewed by a superior court having common law jurisdiction over the inferior court. Where good cause is shown, the superior court issues a writ of certiorari to the inferior court ordering that the record of the case in question be sent up in order that it may be reviewed and justice done to all concerned.

Puina, a Fish, Spins Silk.

The most costly of all kinds of silk hosiery is made from silk which is not the product of the silkworms, but a species of shellfish called a puina. The puina makes its home in the warm waters of the Mediterranean around Sicily. It has an odd little tube at the end of its tongue. Out of this tube, spider fashion, or silkworm fashion, it spins a silk thread with which it fastens itself to any rock to which it wishes to adhere. When the puina moves on to fresh feeding grounds its silken cable is left behind. This cable which is called byssus, the Sicilian fishermen gather. Byssus weaves into the softest, finest, sheeniest of fabrics; but it is very rare and the stockings woven from it consequently are—as has been said—exceedingly expensive.—New England Fisheries.

ONLY ONE STLYE IN THIS MILLINERY SHOP

TRIMMING A BONNET

A "TRY-ON" IN THE ONE-STYLE BONNET SHOP

There is a millinery shop in New York which guarantees its hats never to go out of style. With every purchase goes the understanding that in five or ten years from now the bonnet bought today will be just as attractive, just as much admired and even more in vogue.

It is the Salvation Army "Millinery Shop," located at 120 West Fourteenth Street, New York city, in which establishment every bonnet which enters the tenement houses, rescue homes, orphanages, nurseries or slum settlements first sees the light of day. And the shop does a rushing business. Three hundred bonnets each week are trimmed, boxed, sent out to all parts of the country and started on their mission of spreading cheer and hope to every corner of the United States.

And the Salvation Army is an importer—not the type that sticks the coveted word after its name as a matter of course, but a real one. Every bonnet that graces the head of every Salvation Army lassie came all the way from across the Atlantic for that purpose. The bonnet itself is English, the trimmings are American, and the wearers embrace every nationality in the world.

Many times each week big trucks draw up to the door of the shop and deposit their cargoes of untrimmed hats. At frequent intervals the piquant bonnets, with their long blue streamers, blue ruching and satin folds, leave the establishment bound for years of service in the slums and bleak spots of the nation. The familiar blue bonnet—shaped like nothing else under the sun—is a symbol of unselfish service in nurseries, hospitals and tenements the whole world over.

QUEER JUMBLING OF RACES

Caucasus Religion Has Been Appropriately Designated as the "Mountain of Languages."

With various anti-bolshevist governments seeking a resting place and capital at one end of the range and fabulous oil hoards of Baku at the other, inspiring covetous imperialistic interest, the long line of mountains which separates Europe from Asia gives promise of once more attaining the headline position it so often has held throughout the ages. Made up of 400 miles of majestic peaks, in three ridges, the Caucasus stretches from northwest to southeast like a petrified wave, whose northeastern face mounts to the snow crest, but whose southwestern front, facing toward Turkey, seems dashed into countless precipices by the titanic forces of nature, says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

The Caucasus is the most interesting rabbit warren of humanity on the globe. For uncounted ages various peoples sifted through the selected valleys, leaving a fraction of their number in some remote spot, so that at one time El Azizi said that there were 300 tribes and dialects in the region 650 miles long and 100 miles broad, which he called the "Mountain of Languages."

Young Financier.

Joe Parkman, aged thirteen, and his younger brother, Tom, aged eight, were going to the savings bank to deposit 50 cents which Joe's uncle had given him for passing with honors into the high school. Joe put his bank book and his money on the desk. The man said that nothing less than $1 could be deposited. Tom said: "Joe, I know what to do. Draw out $1 from the bank and deposit $1.50."

Courtesy Is Love of Man.

Courtesy. This is love in society, love in relation to etiquette. "Love doth not behave itself unseemly." Politeness has been defined as love in trifles. Courtesy is said to be love in little things. And the one secret of politeness is to love. Love cannot behave itself unseemly.—Henry Drummond.

Russia Bans the Poppy.

Russia's department of agriculture has prepared a law prohibiting the culture of the poppy in the trans-Baikal, Amur and Maritime provinces. The cultivation of the plant is to be a criminal offense, as will be also the smoking of opium or the storing or purchasing it, and the purchase of utensils for smoking opium.

CARNEGIE AS A DIPLOMAT

How Ironmaster Kept Favorite Decoration Without Offending the Sensibilities of His Better Half.

Here is a true and amusing story of the late Andrew Carnegie, as told by a young Irish sculptor who was engaged in decorative stone carving at Skibo castle, the multimillionaire's magnificent Scottish residence.

Carnegie was awakened every morning by the shrill skirling of bagpipes played under his window by his private piper. After breakfast the great man would appear in a long, fawn, sleeveless overcoat to view the progress of the sculptor's work. His favorite ornament in stone was a wildcat, the Sutherland emblem, and a lot of these fierce-loooking animals had been carved on various parts of the castle. One morning Mrs. Carnegie accompanied her husband on his usual round of inspection. "Well," said the late millionaire, pointing with pride to a piece of work in which the wildcats were prominent, "what do you think of it?"

"Oh," she replied, "I don't like it at all; I think those wildcats are horrid."

Just for a moment Carnegie's face expressed disappointment. Then, struck by what he no doubt regarded as a happy thought, he turned to his wife and, with a whimsical smile, said: "All right, my dear, never mind; we'll have tame cats instead."

And although stone cats continued to be carved whenever there was an appropriate position for them in the decorative scheme, from that time onward they were, as Carnegie had declared, in order not to offend the sensibility of his wife, tame cats.

Happens Frequently.

We don't know who put the punc in punctuation, but we do know a whole lot of punctuation is put into punk.—Berkshire Eagle.

Listing It.

"How did you list the money that fortune-teller got from you?" "I put it under the head of prophet and lost."—Baltimore American.

Humoring the Public.

The public must be treated like women; they must be told absolutely nothing but what they like to hear.—Goethe.

Vast Area of Polar Regions.

What is known as the polar regions cover [illegible] and have 300,000 inhabitants

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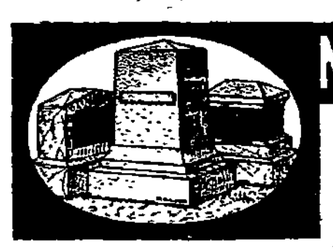

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NO MATERIAL CHANGE IN THE RAILROAD SITUATION

But Little, If Any, Freight Is Being Moved Any Place

IS AFFECTING ALL INDUSTRIES

Complete paralysis of the great Connellsville coal and coke region cannot now be avoided. The period of the suspension depends entirely upon the length of the so-called "outlaw" railroad men's strike, which has now closed every rail transportation outlet from the region with the exception of the Southwest Branch of the Pennsylvania System. That service, restricted as it is, is under severe handicap both by the increasing number of embargoes and by the congestion which cannot be avoided.

Closing down of coal and coke plants began on Monday and Tuesday was the last working day for a number of mines in the region until the railroad problem is solved. A few of theplants may be able to operate today but that number will be exceedingly small, and will largely depend on railroad service Some of the Frick plants which are able to send by-product coal by river to Clairton will be able to keep going in spitee of the railroad situation, but whether it will be possible to increase that number at this time is not stated.

On the Monongahela Division the West Brownsville yards have been idle for several days, while Shire Oaks quit work Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. This naturally made train movements at the latter place practically impossible, although it was said here were a few coal trains sent out of there late yesterday afternoon. Unless the railroad company is able to get volunteers on the job it is not likely any further shipments will be made from that point until the trouble is at an end.

In the meantime mills and mines along the Monongahela Division. P. R. R., are having increasing difficulties in keeping in operation. At Donora, on Tuesday, the management began to stock wire in the yards simply because it was impossable to make any shipments. This system can continue for a few days at the end of which time the mills will be compelled to close down unless there is some adjustment of the strike. No cars were shipped out of Donora on Tuesday, although on Monday twenty-seven loads were sent through the various points.

Any mines with only rail connections along the lines will have to shut down until the strike is over. Even if they had cars available there would be no prospects of moving the coal.

Some improvement in the situation is claimed by railroad officials and the brotherhoods, but it will take a couple of days yet to get a true perspective of the situation.

Albright — Handcuff king —Elk's Minstrel. 265-t2

FOUR ROBBERIES IN TOWN LAST NIGHT

Four robberies occurred in town last night, entrance being effected at a home on Lincoln avenue, at Master's store, Doerzbacher's store and Henning's drug store. In all the thieves secured in the neighborhood of $125.00.

"It's nobody's business but my own" —by end man Miller—Elk's Minstrel. 265t2

SHIPMENTS TO BE MADE BY RIVER

The steamer Iron City, with three big deck barges in tow arrived at the Wireton docks this morning. These barges will be loaded with steel rails and steel products and taken to Pittsburg, from where it will be distributed to various points. By this means the Pittsburg Steel company will be able to keep its Monessen mills in operation in spite of the tie-up of freight traffic on the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad.

The fuel situation at these mills is also being well cared for. Two derrick boats in addition to the hoist at Wireton docks are now in operation, hoisting coal and coke from barges in the river to cars on the siding at that place. This coal and coke is being towed by the company steamers Alicia and Collier from the Alicia mine just above Brownsville. The only serious situation the millshave to confront seems to be the scarcity of limestone, which they are required to ship in by railroad.

"WHO'S YOUR SERVANT" FEATURE AT THE COYLE

Some of the most dramatic scenes enacted on a local screen in recent months are contained in "Who's Your Servant" which comes to the Coyle theatre today and tomorrow The pictures presents in a startling way the chances an unprincipled servant has of wrecking the honor of his master's family by his own misdeeds, and makes a plea for a closer inspection of servants. Out of the appealing characters of the story is a beautiful young girl who is bothered at times by the attention of her father's servant, a young American-educated Oriental, who is employed as valet and general house servant. The plot all the way is thrilling and interesting and leads up to the final revelation. which gives the picture real punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson, of Philadelphia, formerly of Charleroi sailed last Saturday on the Haverford, for England, where they will spend six or seven months.

"Al" Boucher sings—To that tumbled down shack in Ath-lone"—Elk's Minstrel. 265-t2

Commissioners Could Give No Promise on Route No. 241

A delegation of citizens from the Monongahela valley, composed of business and professional men from Monongahela, Donora and Charleroi, visited Washington on Tuesday and called on the county commissioners with reference to the improvement of State Highway route No 241, leading from Lock Four to Monongahela through the Horseshoe district. The visitors held a long conference on the prospects for having this route improved at the earliest possible date, but were informed by the commissioners that this project is fifth on the list for the county, but that definite promises as to its improvement could not be made at this time because of a lack of a market for road bonds.

When this stretch of road is improved, along with the Monongahela pike, Monongahela, Charleroi and Donora will be connected with the county seat by an improved highway which will be available throughout the entire year.

The commissioners reported that damage releases from property owners along the Monongahela pike have been secured with but one exception, and it is believed that the owner of this tract will join with the others soon and make it possible for the State Highway department to let the contract at theearliest possible moment and get the actual work under way.

Those who made up the Charleroi contingent of the delegation were Burgess S. L. Woodward, C. R. Carson, W. W. Piper, Harry Scott and Dr. F. C. Stahlman.

LAKE ERIE SERVICE IS STILL TIED UP

There was no improvement in the situation on the Monongahela Division of the P & L. E. railroad this morning. On Tuesday it was announced that some trains would be in operation on the Lake Erie today and passenger service to Youngstown has been partially restored. Officials of the company also promise that some improvement will take in the Monongahela valley service within twenty-four hours. In the meantime the east side of the river is without any passenger trains and will be until there is a change in the situation.

YOUNG LADIES CIRCLE HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Young Ladies Circle of the First Presbyterian church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ralph M. Hickey, on McKean avenue Tuesday evening. At the business session the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President. Miss Mabel Strausser; vice president, Miss Ruby Charles; secretary. Miss Edith Hopkins; treasurer. Miss Florence Clark. During the social hour sewing was the diversion and lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Misses Matilda and Lottie Kline as hostesses.

Lady Maccabees—Take Notice.

A regular meeting will be held Thursday evening. All members are urged to be present. as business of importance will come before the meeting. Also class initiation.

Mary Davis. Commander.
265-t2-*

Use the Classified Column.

FREEPORT VEIN IS BEING WORKED

The Freeport vein of coal is being successfully mined at Adelaide, in Fayette county, where the Abraham Coal company is already shipping four cars per day, having been in operation for about a year. The vein is of good quality and even, being between three and four feet thick. In mining the roof slate is taken down.

About three weeks ago interests connected with the Pittsburg Wood preserving company begun operations in opening another mine to tap the Freeport vein in order to supply fuel for the wood treating company's plant. It is possible that if the Freeport vein can be successfully worked in the Adelaide section the vein will be opened at many other places throughout the coke region.

MARCHINETTI-KRUTZ NUPTIALS PERFORMED

The wedding of Miss Mary Marchinetti to John Krutz, both of Charleroi took place at the Mother of Sorrows Italian Catholic church Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev Diana. A reception and dance at which about 60 guests were present was held in the Italian Hall. The couple will make their home in Charleroi

HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION MEETS THIS EVENING

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. will be held at the borough building, this evening at 8 o'clock.

See Johnnie Jenkins—funnier than ever—Elk's Minstrel. 265-t2

SALARY INCREASE IS GIVEN TO ALL BOROUGH EMPLOYES

Council Also Disposes Of A Number Of Other Important Matters

TAX RATE IS FIXED AT 20 MILLS

A regular meeting of borough council was held in the clerk's office at the borough building last evening with all members present except Mr. VanVoorhis. Several important matters of business came up, including action looking toward the repeal of Ordinance No. 362, which regulates the holding of public assemblies in Charleroi borough, an increase in salaries to borough employes, the fixing of the borough millage, and action looking toward the closing of a certain section of Fourth street, from Church alley to Lincoln avenue, and providing for an 8-foot walk way through the center thereof.

The first matter to be discussed by council was the request for a repeal of Ordinance 362. This ordinance was passed by the former council last fall, during the steel strike, and at the time came in for considerable criticism. However, council at that time refused to repeal it. At the meeting held last evening an ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 362 was presented, read the first time, and laid over for final action at the regular meeting to be held the first Tuesday evening in May.

The next matter to receive consideration was the closing of Fourth street from Church alley to Lincoln avenue. After some discussion the borough engineer was directed to prepare plans and specifications for the improvement of the street as per ordinance adopted some time ago. This provides for an eight-foot walkway down the center of the street for the distance named the balance of the street to go to the abutting property owners.

The question of an increase in salary to the borough employes was then taken up. It was at first moved to take action on the police alone, but council finally decided to take all borough employes into consideration.

A motion made by Mr. Duvall to increase the salary of Chief Albright 10 per cent was lost, after which it was decided to add $5.00 monthly to the salaries of all the police, the health officer, street commissioner, truck driver and borough clerk; $20.00 to the teamster, and $10.00 to the janitor of the building.

Chairman Carson then referred to the financial condition of the borough, and said the millage for the year would have to be placed at 20 mills for 1920. These figures were adopted by council, with 10 mills for expenses, eight mills for special funds and two mills for the sinking fund.

This concluded the business of the evening, after which council adjourned.

Hear Warren Kinder—Elk's Minstrel sing—"Was there ever a pal like you." 265-t2

LOCAL COUPLE WERE MARRIED THIS MORNING

John Paul Brown and Mary Laurerta Paluso were married in St. Jerome's Church this morning at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. William D. Fries officiating. The witnesses were Ray Cadwallader and Miss Marguerite Cadwallader of Monessen. After a short wedding trip the young couple will reside in Charleroi.

Come and laugh at—Brady, Miller and Ray—Elk's Minstrel. 265t2

COUNTRY PRODUCE SHIPPED BY WATER

During the railroad tie-up Pittsburg is receiving most of its food supply by water. The Liberty line of packets operating on the Ohio river between Pittsburg and Cincinnati and way points have been bringing record-breaking cargoes into Pittsburg during the past few days. The General Pershing arrived on Monday with a heavy trip, while the General Crowder is due on Friday loaded to the guards with country produce and 4,000 crates of eggs. The management of the line report requests from all points along the river for space to transport produce to the larger cities. If the railroad conditions remain as at present for any length of time it is likely the line will place other boats in the trade.

"Let it alone"—by Harry Ray—Elk's Minstrel.

GOTHIC CLUB MEETS TUESDAY EVENING

The Gothic club was entertained at the home of W. D. Pollock on Lookout avenue Tuesday evening. The following program was rendered: Life of Tennyson Mrs. Grace Feidler; Criticism of the Works of Tennyson. Miss Mary Latchem, Synopsis of "The Princess." Miss Doris Seockdale. Selections from "The Princess," Miss Mary Welsh. A business session followed the rendition of the program. During the social hour lunch was served by the hostesses. Mrs. Grace Feidler and Miss Helen Booth. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Marie Jimeson.

End man Brady sings—"Moonshine on the Moonshine"—Elk's Minstrel. 265-t2

A social, the proceeds of which will be sent to Miss Rosetta B. Rogers to be used in her mission work in Mexico. will be held in the M. E. church Thursday evening. The affair will be under the auspices of the Frances Willard class assisted by the Home Guards.

Hear—"When you're one little mile from home" by—Kilcullen—Elk's Minstrel. 265-t2

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